## **Civil War Lantern Slides**

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### **Scope and Content Note:**

This collection includes 106 Lantern Slides of Civil War history. The collection begins with a photograph of President Abraham Lincoln's inauguration on March 4, 1861. The second slide is a color map of the United States showing free and slave states and marking seceded states. There are 12 slides about the bombardment of Fort Sumter by the Confederates. 27 slides are of the battle of Shiloh on April 6 and 7, 1862. These include maps showing the positions of both armies during the two-day siege. There are single slides of various Civil War battles and events, including the Grand Review of Union Troops at the close of the war. The collection includes 55 portraits of prominent Union and Confederate military officers, as well as politicians of the time.

# **Item Listing:**

- 1. President Lincoln's inauguration
- 2. Map of the US, 1861 color slide
- 3. Map of Charleston Harbor
- 4. Sea Battery of Ft Moultrie, from a photograph taken before the war
- 5. Major Anderson's men crossing in boats to Ft. Sumter, from a war-time sketch
- 6. Ft. Sumter Garrison, watching the firing of the "Sea of the West" steamer
- 7. Map of Charleston Harbor, April 1861
- 8. Ft. Sumter before the first bombardment, from "Harper's Weekly" March 23, 1861
- 9. Confederate floating battery in action at the west end of Sullivan's Island
- 10. Confederate mortar battery on Morris Island, from a photograph
- 11. Secretary of the Treasury, John A. Dix's order: "If any one attempts to haul down the American

flag, shoot him on the spot".

- 12. Bombardment of Ft. Sumter, 1861, from a painting
- 13. The bombardment of Ft. Sumter, from "Harper's Weekly" April 27, 1861

14. Photograph of Barbette guns - effects of raking from Ft. Moultrie and the ruins of casements near

the sally port and the flag-staff

- 15. The New York Seventh, marching down Broadway, April 19, 1861
- 16. Battle of Bull Run, 1861, from a painting
- 17. Map of Kentucky and Tennessee showing positions of both armies in the morning, February 6, 1862
- 18. Map of Ft. Donelson, February 13-16, 1862
- 19. An encounter of close range on a river.
- 20. Map of the region of flotilla operation Shiloh
- 21. Map of Kentucky and Tennessee
- 22. Map of the field of Shiloh, showing positions of both armies at about six AM, April 6, 1862
- 23. Crump's landing, from a photograph taken in 1884
- 24. Confederate charge on Prentiss's camp
- 25. Map of Shiloh, showing positions of both armies in the morning April 6, 1862
- 26. Wallace, W. H. L., Brigadier General
- 27. The "Hornets' Nest" Shiloh, showing W. H. L. Wallace's line
- 28. Soldiers in the "Hornets' Nest", Shiloh
- 29. Gibson's brigade charging at the "Hornets' Nest", Shiloh
- 30. Troops at the "Hornets' Nest", Shiloh
- 31. Bridge over Snake Creek, from a photograph taken in 1884
- 32. Federal troops checking Confederate advance on the evening of the first day at Shiloh
- 33. Bivouac of federal troops at Shiloh on Sunday night
- 34. Buell's federal troops debarking at Pittsburg Landing, Shiloh
- 35. Map of Shiloh, showing positions of both armies in the evening April 6,1862
- 36. Battle of Shiloh, from a painting
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- 39. Scene in a Union field hospital
- 40. Pittsburg Landing, from a photograph taken a few days after the Battle of Shiloh
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- 42. The landing at Savannah, nine miles north of Pittsburg Landing
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- 47. Battle of Fredericksburg
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- 50. A "Louisiana Pelican", soldier
- 51. Raising the Stars and Stripes at Ft. Sumter in 1865
- 52. The Grand Review of Union Troops at the close of the war cracked
- 53. Adams, Charles Francis, US Minister to England, 1861-1868
- 54. Anderson, Robert, Major in command of Ft. Sumter during Confederate attack
- 55. Andrew, John A., Governor of Massachusetts and an organizer of the first Colored Regiment
- 56. Ashmun, George of Massachusetts

- 57. Bates, Edward, US Attorney General
- 58. Beauregard, P. G. T., Brigadier General, Confederate Army
- 59. Bee, Bernard E., Brigadier General, Confederate Army
- 60. Bell, John, President of the Constitutional Union Party
- 61. Benjamin, Judah P., Attorney General, Secretary of War, and Secretary of State for the Confederacy
- 62. Black, Jeremiah S., US Attorney General and Secretary of State
- 63. Blair, Francis P. Jr., US Major General
- 64. Blair, Montgomery, US Postmaster General
- 65. Breckenridge, John C., Major General and Secretary of State for the Confederacy
- 66. Brown, John, abolitionist
- 67. Buchanan, James, 15th President of the United States
- 68. Cameron, Simon, US Secretary of War
- 69. Salmon P. Chase, US Secretary of State, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court
- 70. Cobb, Howell, US Secretary of Treasury under President Buchanan, and Major General, Confederate Army
- 71. Crawford, Martin J., Confederate Commissioner
- 72. Curtis, George William, editor of "Harper's Weekly"
- 73. Davis, Jefferson, President of the Confederate States of America
- 74. Dix, John A., US Major General
- 75. Douglas, Stephen A., US Senator
- 76. Everett, Edward, US Senator, Governor of Massachusetts, spoke at Gettysburg
- 77. Forsyth, John, Confederate Commissioner
- 78. Grant, Ulysses S., US General and 18th President of the United States
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- 80. Griffin, Charles, US Major General
- 81. Hamlin, Hannibal, US Vice President under Lincoln
- 82. Holt, Joseph, US Secretary of War
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- 84. Jackson, Thomas J. "Stonewall", Lieutenant General, Confederate Army, pen sketch, near Ball's

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- 85. Johnson, Andrew, 17th President of the United States
- 86. Johnson, Herschel V., Candidate for Vice President under Stephen Douglas, Confederate Senator
- 87. Lane, Joseph, Candidate for Vice President of the United States, 1860
- 88. Lincoln, Abraham, 16th President of the United States
- 89. Longstreet, James, General, Confederate Army
- 90. Mason, James M., Confederate Diplomat
- 91. McClellan, George B., US Major General
- 92. McDowell, Irvin, US Major General
- 93. Memminger, Christopher G., Confederate Secretary of the Treasury
- 94. Pickens, Francis W., Governor of South Carolina, ordered the firing on Ft. Sumter
- 95. Reagan, John H., Confederate Post Master General
- 96. Rhett, Robert Barnwell, Chairman of the Confederate Committee of Foreign Affairs, called the "Father of Secession"

- 97. Ricketts, James B., US Major General
- 98. Roman, Andre' B., Confederate Commissioner
- 99. Scott, Winfield, US Lieutenant General
- 100. Seward, William, US Secretary of State
- 101. Slidell, John, Confederate Diplomat
- 102. Stanton, Edwin M., US Secretary of War, 1862-1868
- 103. Toombs, Robert A., Confederate Secretary of State, Brigadier General
- 104. Welles, Gideon, US Secretary of Navy
- 105. Wise, Henry A., Brigadier General, Confederate Army
- 106. Yancy, William L., Confederate Commissioner to England and France

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